IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:

Y. KURATA, et al.

Serial No.:

10/049,672

35 USC 371 Date: APRIL 30, 2002

Title:

POLISHING MEDIUM FOR CHEMICAL-MECHANICAL

POLISHING, AND METHOD OF POLISHING SUBSTRATE

MEMBER

Group AU:

1765

Examiner:

Duy Vu Nguyen Deo

Confirm. No:

7706

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Mail Stop: AMEND - FEE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

July 3, 2007 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 3, 2007, the period for response having been extended for three (3) months by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as listed in the following, and as set forth on the following pages:

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS; and

REMARKS are included following the amendments.